

-9-

REMARKS

The Examiner has objected to the specification. Such objections are deemed avoided by virtue of the clarifications made hereinabove thereto.

The Examiner has further rejected Claims 1-31 under 35 U.S.C. 101 because the claimed invention allegedly is directed to non-statutory subject matter. Such rejection is deemed overcome in view of the clarifications made hereinabove to the claims.

The Examiner is thanked for the allowable subject matter.

In the event a telephone conversation would expedite the prosecution of this application, the Examiner may reach the undersigned at (408) 971-2573. For payment of any additional fees due in connection with the filing of this paper, the Commissioner is authorized to charge such fees to Deposit Account No. 50-1351 (Order No. NA11P017/01.062.01).

Respectfully submitted,

By: _____

Kevin J. Zilka

Reg. No. 41,429

Date: _____

3/30/05

Zilka-Kotab, PC
P.O. Box 721120
San Jose, California 95172-1120
Telephone: (408) 971-2573